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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed <u>October 18, 2007</u>, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.